

SIMSBORO FIELD

99-674

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1999**, upon the application of **ST. MARY LAND & EXPLORATION COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston Formation**, in the Simsboro Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana.

1. To authorize applicant to drill, complete and utilize its J S Simonton Est No. 1 Well as an alternate unit well for HOSS SU23, in exception to the well location provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 222, effective December 4, 1951.
2. To find that the proposed alternate unit well is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the Hosston Formation underlying HOSS SU23 which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well on such unit.
3. To permit the operator of HOSS SU23 to produce the allowable assigned to the unit from either the unit well, the alternate unit well, or from a combination of such wells, at the option of the operator.
4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston Formation, in the Simsboro Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 222-1, effective September 1, 1957.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

**PHILIP N. ASPRODITES
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, La

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**HOURS OF 8:00 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M., MONDAY THRU FRIDAY WITHIN FIVE (5)
WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.**